

II. Prices of important staple food grains in the State (in terms of seers per rupee).

Description	1922-23	1921-22	1920-21	1919-20	1918-19
Rice ...	5'00	4'75	4'70	4'31	4'36
Ragi ...	10'10	9'09	9'23	7'7	8'42
Jola ...	8'06	7'71	7'70	6'78	5'85

It will be seen that there was a slight fall in prices of the principal food stuffs. There was a decline in the export of raw materials such as silk, cotton and wool counterbalanced by an increased export of finished goods, thus showing an increased consumption of raw materials in the State in the production of manufactured goods.

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FINANCIAL SECRETARIAT.

House-building Advance.

ORDER No. FL. 462-521—G.-F. 31-24-1, DATED 23RD JULY 1924.

Government are pleased to direct that house-building advances whether of six or twelve months' pay admissible under Article 263 of Mysore Account Code, Volume I, be subject to the maximum limit of Rs. 10,000. The Comptroller is requested to amend para IV of the Article accordingly.

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